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SUBJECT: NASA STATION COMMUNICATIONS

REF: TANANARIVE'S MESSAGE PASSED VIA PRETORIA MARCH 7

1. I FOLLOWED UP WITH MALAGASY FONMIN ZAKARIASY ON MAR 10 ON APPROACH I HAD MADE TO HIM MARCH 7 ON RESTORATION NASA STATION COMMUNICATIONS (REFTEL). HE SAID CHAIRMAN MILITARY DIRECTORY GENERAL ANDRIAMAHAZO HAD NOW AUTHORIZED OUTGOING TELEPHONE AND TELEX COMMUNICATIONS IN ENGLISH AND IN THE CLEAR (LOOSENING PREVIOUS REQUIREMENT THEY BE IN FRENCH OR MALAGASY). COMMENT: THIS WAS PRESENTED AS RESPONSE TO MY APPROACH ON NASA COMMUNICATIONS. END COMMENT.

2. AFTER DISCUSSION WITH NASA STATION DIRECTOR I CALLED ON FONMIN MAR 11 TO PRESENT NOTE POINTING OUT NASA STATION FUNCTIONING WOULD REQUIRE COMPLETE RESTORATION OF ALL THREE LINES OF COMMUNICATION NASA LEASES FROM POST AND TELEGRAPH ADMINISTRATION. FONMIN PROMSED TAKE NOTE UP PROMPTLY WITH ANDRIAMAHAZO.

3. I ALSO ASKED FONMIN SET UP APPOINTMENT FOR ME WITH ANDRIAMAHAZO TO DISCUSS NASA STATION RENT QUESTION
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4. I FOLLOWED UP WITH FONMIN BY TELEPHONE MAR 12 WHO
SAID HE EXPECTED ANDRIAMAHAZO TO FIX TIME FOR APPOINTMENT
WITH ME WHEN ALL CHIEFS OF DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS PAY
COURTESY CALL ON HIM ON MAR 13. APPARENTLY ANDRIAMAHAZO
IS DELAYING GIVING ME DECISION ON NASA COMMUNICATIONS
UNTIL HE AND I MEET TOGETHER.
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